HONORABLE RICHARD A. JONES

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE

KENNETH-WAYNE LEAMING,

Plaintiff,

v.

MATTHEW SAMPSON, et al.,

Defendants.

Case No. 2:23-cv-333-RAJ

ORDER

This matter is referred to this Court for the limited purpose of determining whether Plaintiff's appeal is frivolous or taken in bad faith. Dkt. # 25. The Court certifies in accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(3) that Plaintiff's appeal in this case is frivolous and taken in bad faith.

The Court accordingly **REVOKES** Plaintiff's *in forma pauperis* status for purposes of the appeal. The Court directs the Clerk to ensure that the parties and the Clerk of the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals receive a copy of this order.

DATED this 31st day of January, 2024.

The Honorable Richard A. Jones United States District Judge

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